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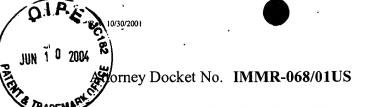
REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to an Office Action mailed on February 10, 2004, the period for response being extended to June 10, 2004 by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks.

Applicant does not believe that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. If additional extensions of time are necessary, however, to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.



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Enclosed are the following documents for the above-identified application:

- Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 [x]
- Petition for Extension of Time [x]
- Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal, Information Disclosure Statement [x]
- PTO/SB/08 (1 of 2) and copies of 30 references provided on enclosed CD [x]
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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